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## AROUND THE CAPITOL

Quiet Day in Congressional Halls.

Silver Pool.

A Far-Reaching Inter-State Commerce Decision-Work of the Coinage Committee.

Washington, January 28. - In the Senate this morning the House Appor-

that he asked a vote at noon tomorrow. After an executive session the Senate adjourned.

## In the House.

Washington, January 28.—The House the bill to dispose of the abandoned Fort suspicions. Ellis, Mont., military reservation, under the homestead law.

The House went into Committee of the Whole on the Military Academy Appropriation bill, but, without making any progress, the committee rose and the House adjourned,

## THE SILVER POOL.

Important Evidence Brought to the Attention of the Committee.

Washington, January 28 .- General Boynton testified in the silver pool inveswhich the dispatch was based, stating that Dingley and Payne, members of the committee, had said they would not have gone into the investigation if they had supposed such a revelation regarding Cameron would be made. The gentleman who had informed him (Hoynton) had been in the room and heard the conversation between Dingley and Paine. Each was explaining, apparently, that he had no knowledge of such testimony, expressing surprise at the testimony, and practically apolo-gizing to each other that it had come

Dingley said it was entirely possible he might have said he regretted exceedingly that any Congressman should have done any act which made it necessary that such facts should be brought out. But that was very different from a statement that the committee would keep testimony out or purposely delay it.

General Boynton said that before the investigation, Stevens, correspondent of the Giobe-Democrat, received a message Trial of that it was the desire of the committee he (Stevens) should be either late next day or prolong his testimony, as the purpose of the committee was to adjourn, immediately after the conclusion

W. B. Stevens, the Globe-Democrat correspondent, was called and said he was the person who gave General Boynton the information in respect to the Dingley-Payne conversation. Turning to Dingley he said: "You began talking in a wisper, became more earnest, raised your voice and were talking loudly before you got through. I heard Dingley say something to the effect that 'It was an entire surprise to me,' meaning the Vest testimony, 'I did not know he was going to testify to any such thing as that.' You said: "I have no idea "It struck what he was going to say.' me," said Stevens, "as if you were each taken by surprise and trying to explain it to each other. There seemed to be which the testimony was brought out were peculiar, and you regretted the time in which it was brought out."

Dingley said that while they may have said something of that sort, they had no purpose except to get all the informa-

Dockery said he would make no concealment now that he did not want to bring out the testimony concerning Cameron until Wednesday. During the time the resolution was pending before the Committee he (Dockery) formed the belief that there were parties who might desire to use that testimony in respect to the other bill. The Senator said he could not afford to do that. A gentleman responded he did not care silver and the impression the Senator got was that they were nervous and wanted things stopped. When asked who the "boys" were, the gentlemen named two Representatives.

## INTERSTATE COMMERCE.

## A Far Reaching Decision Rendered by

the Commission Yesterday. Washington, January 28.—The Intercided the case of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation vs. the Penn- since his alleged death. sylvania Railroad Company and twentyeight other railroad companies, involving questions of discriminations made preferences given to foreign merchandise shipped upon bills of lading from foreign ports to the United States, or ports of entry in a foreign country, such ports of entry to points of destination in the United States. The com- American bacon and hams, at the same plaint was sustained by a decision time directing that such imports be against the Texas Pacific, Iron Mountain, Louisville, New Orleans & Texas, Illinois Central, Wabash, Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, Northern Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio, Lehigh Valley, Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk, of Canada, cease and desist from such practices. Vears ago, to promote education among the order is to take effect March 10. The the negroes of the South, is holding a several hundred miles is now necessary to the traveler between them. The trade complaint was not sustained as to the jubilee here, celebrating the work of a other defendant railroad companies.

## Senatorial Confirmations.

WASHINGTON, January 28 .- The Senate today made the following confima- caving in of a roof in a coal mine at tions; P. H. Downing, as Collector of Amoret, Mo., two men were killed by and voted to the projectors of a railroad the testimony, in Silva drawing a pistol message read, amended to read "Joint Flagler, as Chief of Ordnance with the buried, and it is feared they cannot be of \$200,000. Some legal perplexities required bail, Silva was released from have heretofore delayed the matter, but custody.

Bailey, as postmaster at Evanston,

THE COAL PIT HORROR.

Developments Are Even Worse Than Had Been Feared.

Youngwood, Pa., January 28 .- One hundred and seven bodies were taken from the ill-fated mine of Frick & Co., at Mammoth, up to 10 o'clock this morn-Important Testimony on the ing. It is estimated that there are at Among the Members of the least seventeen more victims.

No one slept at Mammoth last night. In every home of the little mining hamlet there was mourning. Fifty coffins No Consolidation to be Had With arrived from Pittsburg today and another half hundred will reach here tonight. An additional order for twenty-five more

was sent this morning. The cause of the explosion is not yet determined. A coroner, however, is on the ground and a thorough investigation

never used, as they were considered unnecessary. In their stead the men wore the tamiliar little open flame lamps on Whe the mine boss put his night shift

AN OFFICER'S DREADFUL DEED. Surgeon Deitz Kills His Wife and Then Suicides.

San Francisco, January 28.—Surgeon William D. Deitz, of the Fifth Artillery, bodies were badly mangled. Mrs. Deitz was found lying on the floor, shot through the heart, and her husband lay tigation today. He said he sent a message close by. The bodies were found at 11 o'clock, and as Deitz was seen outside his quarters at 6 o'clock this morning delegate from each State. The resolutions favor t

> about 3 years old. Deitz entered the mands the foreclosure of the mortgages army in 1883 and had the rank of capheld by the Government on railroads; t is generally believed he was insane when he committed the deed.

and wife and rendered a verdict that Dietz had killed his wife and himself, good of the Government; the Alliance Two pieces of paper were found in the shall take no part as partisans in any room. One consisted of rambling speculations on his life and was headed "meditations." In the longer note was a short reference to a manuscript which some firm was about to publish. It is believed it was work on this that caused money invested; the free and unlimited the courtesy which common decency his temporary derangement.

## STABBED A BOATMAN. the Son of Circuit Judge

Lorenzo Sawyer. SAN RAFAEL, Cal., January 28.—The

States Circuit Judge Lorenzo Sawyer, passage of the Conger Lard bill, of his testimony, until next Wednesday. who is charged with stabbing a boatman named Herman Franz, was commenced today.

Several witnesses were examined and down and then walked away. Sawyer followed him and stabbed him in the back three times. Franz fell to the floor and Sawyer kicked his prostrate body. The case is attracting great interest here as young Sawyer moved in the best circles.

## THE INDIAN SITUATION,

General Miles Thinks All Trouble is at an End.

expressions that the circumstances under this morning as to the final disposition bill, which was introduced. to be made of the Indians now at Fort | The special election clause is favored by Sheridan, General Miles said that would only a small clique of local office seekers. that Sitting Bull and other chiefs have out. been killed, the Indians are left without a leader. There is no danger of any

further outbreak. Three hundred Indians have been arrested and sent to Fort Sully. All the others are now under control of military

## Died of Trichinosis.

Downseville, Cal., January 28 .- Four persons named Trebbins, living near here, have been attacked with that rare disease, trichinosis. John Trebbins is about himself but he understood that dead, one other is still dangerously sick some of the boys had bought and two others are thought to be out of danger. They ate half cooked pork December 29, in blood sausage. A post mortem revealed trichanse in the muscles and wife also arrived vesterday. of John Trebbins.

Robert Hamilton Reported Alive.

PHILADELPHIA, January 28. - The mittees: Times tomorrow will publish a story in substantiation of the report in regard to Robert Ray Hamilton being alive and William Christy, Walter Talbot, Charles living at Sydney, New South Wales. Goldman, Jerry Millay, C. F. Ainsworth day, he could not be discourteous. state Commerce Commission today de- The truth of the story is vouched for by several letters received from Hamilton

Robert Ray Hamilton's family and friends in New York still adhere to J their belief in the report of his death in Idaho and consider it absolutely correct.

The American H g in Germany. Berlin, January 28.—It was reported adjacent to the United States, over other in the lobby of the Reichstag today that and similar merchandise carried from the government is about to rescind the A Project to Connect Phoenix With the law prohibiting the importation of

## subject to inspection. A Negro Jubilee.

quarter of a century.

KANSAS CITY, January 28.-By the

A Third Political Party to be Formed

Farmers' Alliance.

the Mutual Benefit Association.

OMAHA, January 28 .- The National Farmers' Alliance h sion at today's sess

was tabled by a large vote.

In the afternoon the report of the Committee on Resolutions, which was quite lengthy, was considered by paratoday adopted the conference report on to work he found nothing to arouse his graphs and adopted. It begins with the graphs and adopted. It begins with the following preamble: "Whereas, owing to the opposition that has heaped upon us by grasping monopolists, trusts whereas open as the strains of one of wagner's operas. In fact there were several expressions of catterior disgust. and combines, we believe it is time for several expressions of ext action, and whereas, the National Farmers' Alliance, in convention assembled, does most emphatically declare against the present system of government, as stationed at Alcatraz, this morning manipulated by the Congress of the shot and killed his wife and then com- United States and the Legislatures of mitted snicide by shooting himself. A the several States; therefore we declare shotgun was the weapon used and both in favor of the holding of a convention bodies were badly mangled. Mrs. to nominate candidates for the offices of President and Vice-President of the United States. In this preliminary convention the representation shall be one

> tween these hours.
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> Deitz and wife had lived on the island security at a low rate of interest; declare for the Australian ballot law; declared for the Australian ballot law tain. He was of a jovial disposition and discountenance gambling it stocks; When the bill to abolish the apparently lived happily with his wife. Vice-President by a popular vote; as the farmers of the United States largely A coroner's jury held an inquest this outnumber any other class of citizens, evening on the bodies of Surgeon Dietz and wife and rendered a verdict that coinage of silver is favored and that the volume of currency be increased to \$50 per capita; United States Senators should be elected by the people; the laws regarding the liquor traffic should

A recess was then taken. In a conference with the Farmers' Mutual Benefit Association representatives tonight it was decided that the testified that Franz knocked Sawyer two organizations could affiliate but not consolidate.

## COCONINO COUNTY.

Citizens Opposed to the Special Election Clause of Their Bill. cial Dispatch to THE REPUBLICAN.

FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., January 28. - A careful canvass of the community elicits the fact that a large majority of the prominent citizens, irrespective of party, are in favor of striking out the CHICAGO, January 28.-When asked special election clause in the Coconino

be determined in the near future. Now and all others hope it will be stricken

## THE GOVERNOR'S BALL.

Preparations for the Occasion Complete. Members of the Committees. Preparations are completed for the

Governor's ball tonight.

Yesterday a number of Tucson people arrived to attend the reception, among them being L. M. Jacobs, Mrs. B. M. Jacobs, Miss Bessie Barnes, of San Fran-

cisco, F. H. Hereford and S. M. Franklin. Judge Barnes and wife and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Martin, are here, and Royal A. Johnson and wife, Commissioner Black and wife and others will arrive today. Hon, George Christ The arrangements have been in com-

petent hands and there is no possibility of a hitch. The following are the com-

Arrangements and Reception-George and W. B. Pratt.

Hall Director-F. C. Hatch, Floor Managers-Frank M. Czarnowski, Fred J. Fleishman, D. H. Recarte,

. W. Crenshaw, Introduction—E. J. Bennett, J. L. B. Alexander, Frank Nicholson, Minor, Bernard Goldman, C. L. Mont-ANOTHER RAILROAD.

Santa Fe at Nogales.

Railroad connection between Tucson and Nogales is admittedly necessary to development of Pima County. Though weight. CINCINNATI, January 28.—The Freed- the two towns, the most important in men's Aid Society, of the Methodist Pima County, are but about sixty miles Episcopal Church, organized twenty-five apart, a railroad roundabout journey of to the traveler between them. The trade yesterday to await the action of the 2958, section 1, title 60, relating to Ter- the others. of Sonora is thus lost to Tucson and the grand jury, under \$300 bonds, on a ritorial Auditor, to read "and he shall thousand of dollars that would enrich charge of assault to kill. It appears reside and keep his office at the seat of Pima County are poured into other that Silva and one Kimbrough had a government," and providing that the depots of trade.

now there seems to of the early construct C. P. Sykes, of Cali original

promoter, has secured of C. H. R. Fitz Geral peration don capi talist, and the two in Phoenix to bring the attention of the Legis assistance from the e to the 7ith some ld is pre-the funds quipping alabasas, Pima County, Mr. I pared to expend at o necessary for building at the line between Tucsor to thus securing for Tucsor Conora cultural and mineral

Santa Cruz river. But the railroad pro tlemen does not stop line to Florence and to Ph junction in this city railroad from the north, thu

until a late hour and from the mutterings and secret whispering after the caucus adjourned. One little knot of patriots who were drowning their disappointments in the "ruby, about the witching hour of 1, were getorder, when one of them finally ex-claimed: "Well, by God, the way this thing is trying to be run, I think we had better repeal the whole Democratic party!"

Can it be the gentleman does not agree with the great demegogue's pet idea to repeal and abolish everything not to his liking?

It is refreshing to turn from the dem- torial and county officials, and to repeat agoguery and personal venom of such men as Zulick and Farish to the honest open work of menlike John C. Herndon, A. J. Doran and Fred Hughes. gration came back from the House yesterday with Farish's amendment tacked on it requiring that the Commissioner turn over all properties in his possession to the Territorial Auditor within ten days, Mr. Herndon promptly moved to amend the amendment by making the time sixty days. Mr. Herndon did not believe snap indement, such as Farish proposed, should be taken, but that the Commiswould suggest.

Ir was amusing to see those "Joey Bagstock" twins, Zulick and Farish, be so amended as to prevent endanger- consulting after the adoption of Mr. ence to a change of venue of cases in the children and de-of our citizens: propose to discipline the able represenstroving the usefulness of our citizens; propose to discipline the able representrial of Prescott Sawyer, son of United liberal pensions are favored; also the tative from Yavapai. It won't do, you know, to allow such breaks, our hands must be upheld. But ---.

> Is Clifton the following petition has been circulated and freely signed: To the Council and Assembly of the Territory Arizona in Legislature Assembled

"Your memorialists, the citizens legislation, whereby to prohibit prostitutes visiting or entering saloons or tippling places; and also to inhibit the permissions practices of common street Our sister Territory of New Mexico

has already enacted laws on this subject and by enforcement of the same has driven many of her worst cyprians into We therefore ask this in the interest of good morals and the conservation of the lives of our citizens."

To any one familiar with the larger ceived. mining camps, the necessity for some such law as that prayed for is apparent. Without desiring to draw any invidious comparison, it may be said that in no town in the Territory do cypriaus make themselves so conspicuous as in Clifton, and it is no wonder the people have at last aroused themselves to the evil and seek its abatement.

GOVERNOR IRWIN approved the Council joint resolution yesterday providing liestas, race tracks, fair grounds, etc. for a joint committee to investigate the came up for third reading. Mr. Thurvarious Territorial offices and institutions. It was to be noticed that he called attention to the fact that the resolution failed to limit the amount of money to be expended by the committee. In the haste to try to put himself in a position to become chairman of said committee, the gentleman from Mariopa seems to have lost sight of the fact F. Coats, chairman, J. W. Evans, Dr. A. that he was in the Council for economy J. Chandler, Frank Cox, H. E. Kemp, and to protect the interests of the dear taxpayers, to whom, as he said yester-How sad!

## A Great Cattle Drive.

Two thousand head of beef cattle from the Babocomari ranges, south of Tucson, reached Maricopa station yesterday under charge of one of the owners, W. C. Land. They are being driven along reported a substitute for Council Bill the line of the railroad to California in No. 19, abolishing the office of Territorial preference to being shipped. A saving Geologist, as created by chapter 12, title swell, with eye glass and Dundreary of fully 50 per cent is said to be thus 60, Revised Statutes, and that it do whiskers. Mr. Hatch will do the walkeffected. Grass is said to be good along pass. The substitute provides that all ing tap-room, "that rinsing of stale beer the line of the trail, arrangements for water are complete, and it is expected that the cattle will be delivered at their sixty days. Adopted and the bill ordered attentive to business and ready to adverdestination in Fresno County without engressed and to go to a third reading. the further growth and more complete appreciable loss either in number or

## Charged With Assault to Kill.

Alex. Silva, a well-known farmer of ordered to a third reading. the valley, was held by Justice Goodin dispute over water which Kimbrough The people of the county, with their was taking out of the canal to irrigate ment from his office, read first time. usual enterprise, took early steps to some land belonging to Sam Franklin, remedy this undesirable state of affairs and the row terminated, according to

## Council.

Bill.

The Governor Signs the Investigating Committee Resolution. The Auditor's Residence.

on Territorial Affairs, reported a substitute for Council Bill No. 9, abolishing the office of Territorial Geologist, and that the substitute pass.

Mr. Simpson, from the Committee on Territorial Affairs, reported that his committee recommended that the Council concur in House Concurrent Resolu-

tion No. 4. Mr. Dennis, of the Committee on En-Council Joint Resolution No. 3 and the sheriff to his successor in office. Council Bill No. 20 as correctly enrolled.

A House message announced that the ting their tongues in good working House had passed Council Bill No. 11 and amended Council Bill No. 8 and passed the same,

Mr. Herndon, of the Judiciary Committee, reported Council Bill No. 19 for passage, and Council Bills Nos. 4 and 5 that they do not pass; also Council Bili No. 17 be amended, and that as amended Mr. Hughes gave notice of a bill to regulate the fees and salaries of Terri-

chapter 1, title 28, of the Revised Statutes. House Bill No. 13, to repeal Act 41 of the Fitteenth Legislature, prescribing additional duties to Boards of Super-

visors, read second time and referred to

Committee on Judiciary. Council Bill No. 26, an act to amend the reincorporation of fucson, approved February 17, 1885, read second time and on motion of Mr. Thurmond referred to Committee on Corporations.

Council Bill No. 22, concerning the printing and sale of the Territorial laws. read second time and referred Committee on Ways and Means. Council Bill No. 24, concerning offenses against good morals, read second

time and referred to Committee on Judiciary. The bill provides that no minor under 16, or any female, be permitted to enter any bar room or place where liquor is sold. Council Bill No. 23, an act in refer-

Council Bill No. 20, to increase the amount that may be expended for teachers' institutes, read third time and passed unanimously. The bill provides that all applicants for certificates pay a fee of \$2, such fees to be used in main-

taining the expenses of teachers' institutes within the respective counties. Council Bill No. 3, repealing an act relating to judgments, being Act 23 of Graham County, respectfully petition the Fifteenth Legislature, read third your honorable bodies to effect some time and passed unanimously.

Council Joint Resolution No. 3, to provide for a messenger for the Governor and an additional clerk for both houses at a salary of \$4 per day, was walkers in every city, town, hamlet and lost by the following vote: Aves-mining camp in the Territory of Arizona. Brady, Dennis, Herndon, Simpson. Aves-Thurmond, Mr. President-6. Noes-Doran, Frank, Peter, Vickers, Zulick,

Baldwin-6, A message from the Governor approving Council Joint Resolution No. 1 for a joint committee of two from the Council and three from the House to investigate Territorial offices was re-

Mr. Vickers moved to reconsider the vote on Joint Resolution No. 3. An extended debate followed, participated in Mesers, Herndon, Doran, Simpson, Balwin and Zulick. Finally the motion to reconsider was carried by a vote of 7 Upon motion of Mr. Vickers the bill then went over till Thursday. Council Bill No. 12, being an act to amend paragraph 2244 of the Revised

Statutes, to provide for the taxation of gambling and to prevent gambling at mond offered a substitute for his previous amendment providing that the act shall not apply to any saloon except it be erected on, adjoining to, or within 500 yards of the places mentioned in the act. Calling Mr. Zulick to the chair, Mr. Hughes took the floor in opposition to the substitute. Thurmond's substiture was lost and the bill was ordered engrossed and passed to a third reading. The Committee on Counties and

County Boundaries reported back Counthat all public improvements shall bewhich they are located. Adopted. section providing for a special election, not specifying how the election should be ordered, the bill was recommitted.

The Committee on Territorial Affairs reported a substitute for Council Bill

House Bill No. 12 to amend paragraph Auditor shall publish a monthly state-

Council Bill No. 5, took same course.

House Concurrent Resolution concerning the printing of the Governor's House Concurrent Resolution No. 3, concerning joint committee to consider Indians devoured.

# ARIZONA LAWMAKERS the Funding bill, passed unanimously. Council Bill No. 8, concerning Commissioner of Immigration reported back from the House amended. Mr. Herndon proposed the amendment be amended to provide that Commissioner turn over property of his office within sixty days instead of ten days, which was adopted.

was adopted.
President Hughes introduced a bill to provide for payment of witnesses in criminal cases. Read first time, rules sus-Another Railroad Exemption pended, read second time by title and

referred to Committee on Judiciary.
President Hughes introduced a bill to create the county of Miles. Rules suspended, bill read second time by title and ordered printed. Referred to Committee on Counties and County Boundaries, Adjourned,

The Assembly.

The House convened pursuant to ad-

## correctly engrossed.

Mr. Fisher introduced a bill to encourage the construction of railroads, have the speaker, the subordinate offiproviding for their exemption from tax- cers and control of the committees. The ation for a certain period. Mr. Dougherty introduced, by request,

a bill amending the law prescribing certain acts constituting felonies.

Mr. Hoff introduced a bill to amend the law entitled Tax Collectors, and relating to revenue.

Mr. Samaniego introduced a bill prorolled and Engrossed Bills, reported viding for the surrender of property by A rule that bills hereafter should have a first reading, be read second time by

title and referred to the proper committees was adopted. A me-sage from the Council announced that it had passed Council Bill No. 10, relating to duties of the Live Stock and

Sanitary Commission. House Bill No. 8, introduced by Mr. Fisher to encourage the construction of railroads in the Territory, was referred to the Committee on Corporations. On motion of Mr. Fisher 100 copies of the bill were ordered printed.

House Bill No. 29, amending an act re-lating to offenses under the head of elonies, introduced by Mr. Dougherty, was referred to the Committee on Judi-CISTY. House Bill No. 30, introduced by Mr.

Hoff, amending the law relating to Tax Collectors, was referred to the Judiciary House Bill No. 31, amending the law concerning elections, was referred to the ommittee on Elections.

House Bill No. 32, introduced by Mr. Samaniego, providing for the surrender by the Sheriff of property of the county his successor in office, referred to the Committee on Judiciary, under the order of third reading of bills. House Bill No. 5, amending a rule of practice relating to attachments, came

up for passage but was recommitted to nmittee on Judiciary by reason of ome discrepancy in the engrossment. House Bill No. 12, fixing residence of the Territorial Auditor and prescribing certain additional duties, was plac d upon its final passage and passed by a

vote of 19 to 2. A message from the Council announced that the Governor had approved and signed Council Joint Reso- European Nations Preparing For the ution No. 1, providing for an investiga-

tion of the Territorial institutions. Council Bill No. 10, relating to duties of the Stock and Santtary Commission, passed by that body, came up for first ment is occupying itself diplomatically reading and was referred to the Com- regarding the successor of the Pope, in

Nos. 3 and 20. Council Bill No. 3, repealing an act tile spirit which exists it is to the inand referred to the Committee on for the coming conclave.

Judiciary. time and referred to the Committee on work,

Mr. Hoff gave notice that he would probabilities of the next conclave. introduce a bill relating to homesteads. Mr. Farish gave notice that he would ntroduce a bill relating to the Territorial Treasurer and to create a repository Territorial moneys. The chairman of the Judiciary Com-

that there would be a meeting of the Judiciary Committee at 10 o'clock this morning. Mr. Hoff, of the Committee on Salaries and Fees, announced that that committee would meet at 7 p.m. last night.

## The House then adjourned. A THEATRICAL EVENT. Home Talent to Present a Comedy of

Rare Merit. The public of Phænix will receive a treat soon in the way of a spicy comedy to be presented by a local company

which has been organized and will have their first rehearsal tomorrow night. The play which will be presented is entitled "Caste," written by T. W. Robertson. It was first presented in the cents per pound. Prince of Wales Theatre, in London, and cil Bill No. 15 (the Coconino Bill) with has lately scored a great success in New an amendment to section 26, providing York. It is an original comedy in three acts and the parts are uniformly dicome the property of the county in vided, giving each actor about the same The amount of work.

The cast is composed of leading society people, being Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nicholson, Frank Hatch, Mrs. E. J. Bennett, Frank Kibbey, Mrs. M. H. Sherman and George H. Hoadley. Mr. Kib-bey will figure as a howling English Banker Fugettee. appurtenances of the office be turned -the drunken father." Hr. Hoadley is over to the Territorial Auditor within a plumber in love with Polly, always tise himself. Mr. Nicholson is another Council Bill No. 4, relating to the trial love swain, devoting his sighs to Esther, of cases indefinitely postponed; also an angel on earth, a part that will be has a capital stock of \$250,000. taken by Mrs. M. H. Sherman. Mrs. Council Bill No. 17 was amended and Bennett will be a matronly marquise. ported that the bark Nova Scotia was Mrs. Nicholson will be the captivating

The play will be presented at the Opera House on February 7 and the procreds will go to the benefit of Trinity Episcopal Church.

## Indians Attacked by Wolves.

WINNIPEG, January 28 .- Word from band of ravenous wolves, and several Francisco yesterday.

## The Montana Deadlock is at an End.

## Pfeffer and Vilas Formally Elected. Connecticut's Election Contests.

Australian Ballot System to Be Tried in Oregon.

HELENA, Mont., January 28.-After

wenty-four days of a double-headed

twenty-seven. The Democrats are to

Senators of both parties and will be signed tomorrow. Speaker Witter, of the Republican House, is dying of pneumonia. His wife died of consumption this morning. Speaker Comly, of the Democratic House, is also very ill of pneumonia.

compromise has been drawn up by the

## CONNECTICUT'S CONTEST.

HARTFORD, Conn., January 28.-The House this morning, received the report of the committee appointed to canvass the vote for State officers. The committee states that it is unable to deter-mine whether any person is legally chosen to fill any of the State offices, except that of Comptroller, to which the face of the returns indicate that Nicholas Straus (Democrat) is elected. The House concurred in the report.

## MOODY LOSING GROUND.

PIERRE, S. D., January 28.-One ballot was taken for United States Senator today with no material change, except the loss of five votes by Moody.

TOPEKA, January 28 .- The vote for United States Senator in joint session today resulted in the election of Pfeffer. AUSTRALIAN BALLOT ADOPTED.

PREFFER FORMALLY ELECTED.

Salen, January 27. - The upper branch of the Legislature today passed the Australian ballot law.

SPOONER'S SUCCESSOR. Manison, Wis., January 28 .- W. L. Vilas was formally elected by the joint Legislature today to succeed Spooner. NEBRASKA'S LEGISLATORS.

Lincoln, Neb., January 28 .- In the

Senate today a resolution was adopted

favoring the election of United States

### Senators by popular vote. A resolution congratulating Kansas on the defeat of ingails, was lost.

## THE NEXT POPE.

Election of Leo's Successor. Rome, January 28 .- The Vatican has been advised that the Italian governmittee on Live Stock.

A message from the Council anunfavorable to Italy, Premier Crispi nounced that it had passed Council Bills will endeavor to demonstrate to the Triple Alliance that in view of the hos-

relating to judgments, read first time terest of the allied cabinets to prepare A highly placed person said the times Council Bill No. 20, providing for the have passed when foreign cardinals will creation of a Teachers' Institute fund, accept the vetoes of monarchies. Absoby charging a fee of \$2 to each appli- lute liberty will henceforth be the cant for a teachers' certificate, read first | principle on which the conclaves will work. The personage in question said it will be difficult to determine the

## JOURNALISTS IN CONVENTION. An International League of Press Clubs

is Established. Pittsbung, January 28 .- The first Inmittee gave notice, through the Clerk, ternational Press Club convention opened this morning with sixty delegates present. Foster Coates, of New

York, was elected president. Constitution and by-laws adopted. The association will hereafter be known as the International League of Press Clubs. The objects are to bring into close and friendly relations the press clubs of the world, and to promote a fraternal feeling among their

### members. CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

A bill to provide for the Australian system of ballot has passed the Oregon Legislature. Under a new syndicate's manipulation, rubber at Para has advanced 8

Winslow, Whillock & Co., New York brokers and bankers, are under attachment, with declared debts of \$62,000. A Paris kid glove firm has secured in New York a verdict againt Hilton & Libbey, successors to A. T. Stewart, for

\$277,775.

At Chattanooga the grand jury found an indictment for murder in the first Fruit which arrived in New York yes-

cisco, was attached on a debt of \$6100 in favor of A. Luck & Co. Kan., has closed its doors and will go into solvency liquidation. The bank

terday from Charles King, of San Fran-

From the Windward Islands it is rewrecked in the first part of this month Polly, who makes it interesting for all and the captain and officers and six men drowned.

> James M. Damron, recently acquitted of a charge of forgery, has again been arrested in Los Angeles on three charges of forgery, preferred by J. S. Chadwick, formerly Damrou's friend.

Jake Kilrain, who is matched to fight tions: P. H. Downing, as Collector of Customs at Wilmington, Cal.; Colonel Customs at California Customs at Californ Godfrey already there and in training.